

The Sun.

11 Shillings for All.

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 1871.

AMERICAN THEATRE.

Death's Theatre—Clyde.
Fancy Theatre—Sister.
Fayett's Opera House—\$250, between 4th and 5th.
Fifth Avenue Theatre—Theatre, A Comedy Theatre.
Grand Opera House—In Franklin.
Harrington's—In Franklin.
Harrington Hall—10th Street.
Lyon's Theatre—Park.
Winter's Gardens—Park.
Newman & Arding's—Minstrels—Music and Comedy.
Empire Theatre—Bacon.
Highway Hall—Tenth Street.
Tea Pastor's Opera House—\$250.
Theatre Royal—The Warrens.
Wood's Museum—Street of New York—Music.

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THE PROGRESS OF FREEDOM.

Our intelligence from Brazil is of unusual interest. The Emperor, Dom Pedro, always a man of liberal opinions, has become a decided abolitionist, and is looking about with great industry and anxiety for the means of emancipating all the slaves in his dominions.

For some months past he has been contemplating a journey with the Empress to the United States, and hence to Europe; but he is not willing to appear among the people of North America as the ruler of a country where slavery is maintained. In order to accelerate the attainment of his desire, he has taken care in appointing a new

Cabinet in March last to select only men who detect slavery as earnestly as he does, and who are as ready as he to labor for its overthrow.

An interesting illustration of the severity with which the Emperor cherishes abolition sentiments was furnished by him in February. The Chief of Police of the city of Rio Janeiro discovered that a small number of wrecks of both sexes had obtained from their owners the control of over three hundred women, whom they kept in that city leading a life of prostitution, and that their owners were partners in the proceeds of this infamous business. On learning these facts, the Emperor ordered the women to be set free unconditionally, at the same time making all possible provision for their religious education and reformation. The owners of these slaves he sent for, and himself reprimanded them with all the indignation of an upright man and a Christian.

It is remarkable that while the Government of Brazil, the last great slave country among civilized nations, is thus taking measures to annihilate the sin and shame of slavery, and while the Emperor of that country is not willing even to visit this republic until he has wiped away the blot from the fair fame of the land he rules, the people of the United States, and more especially many of those so-called abolitionists who a few years since were the most ardent in denouncing the wickedness of holding men and women in bondage, now look on with calm indifference, or even with slightly disguised antipathy, at the brave and patriotic people of Cuba fighting at once to free a million whites from degradation and half a million blacks from slavery. But painful as is the contrast between the former professors and the present action of the American people and Government, the lovers of imperial liberty have the consolation of knowing that the people of Cuba are winning their own freedom and the freedom of their slaves. In spite of all the aid given to Spanish slave-traders by our Republican Administration—in spite of the column of HAMILTON FISH with the slave-traders who pay him his lawfully the bound hand in hand—the end of slavery is near at hand in Cuba, as it is in Brazil. A little while longer, and in all America there will be no slaves. Let God be thanked!

THE REPUBLICAN KU-KLUX.

Preliminary to the first case to come before the United States Courts in the South, under the provisions of the Ku-Klux law, will be the trial of three Republica officers in South Carolina. Some two or three weeks ago the seal of the Treasurer of Abbeville county was broken into and rifled of fifteen thousand dollars in money, none of which had yet been recovered. The Chief Constable of the State has succeeded in tracing the crime to three brothers named GEORGE, originally Northern men, but for some time residents of Abbeville. One of the GEORGES is a member of the Legislature, another is Probate Judge of the county, and the third is Mayor of the town of Abbeville. All three have been arrested and are now in close confinement in Columbia. The Chief Constable has the most indubitable proof of their guilt.

It would be a singular thing if the Ku-Klux force left, as is claimed by its leaders, was intended to suppress dissent throughout the South, should after all do something toward accomplishing its purpose, in an indirect way, by removing the cause of these disturbances in the persons of disloyal officials and lawless adventurers.

We have reports from Cuba of the continued murder of prisoners taken in battle by the Spanish troops. How much longer is this to go on? When will DON HAMILTON FISH begin that intervention which he threatened at the commencement of his official career, when he nominated the Spanish Government that such excesses were a disgrace to humanity?

Since that notification, however, FISH's son-in-law has been paid \$20,000 by the agents of the Spanish slave-traders in Havana, and all is right.

The suits of CHAMPLAIN BOWER and the other Rhode Island and Massachusetts claimants of the late Madame JEWELL's three millions came to a conclusion last week in the United States Circuit Court, to a verdict adverse to their pretensions. These suits were between the two sets of alleged nephews and nieces of the deceased lady, and the decision is that the New England heirs have not proved their title. This result leaves the New York heirs to fight out a straight battle with George W. Bowers, a handsome and wealthy old gentleman of seventy-five, living in Providence, R. I., who looks just like Madame JEWELL, and has always been beloved by his townsmen and neighbors to her son, the two lawyers, Mr. TUCKER for the plaintiff and Mr. O'COUGH for the defendant, have been taking the testimony of all the witnesses from day to day throughout the South, and are now in close confinement in Columbia. The Chief Constable has the most indubitable proof of their guilt.

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It appears that GEN. WILLIAM A. LAWRENCE, late Pension Agent in this city, is a devotee to the amount of about \$50,000. The World says that Gen. LAWRENCE was a member of the Military Ring which envelopes President GRANT; that he was a friend and confidant of the San Domingo jobbers, and of those who have been active go-betweens in the sale of arms to the War Department last summer to Frenchmen.

It will be remembered that some time since we announced the fact that a person named FRANCISCO LA MAGNA had come here from Cuba, having in his possession the plates of the Spanish Bank of Havana. His purpose was to get printed here a large quantity of the notes of the bank, to fill them up with forged signatures, and issue them as genuine. As he had with him the specimens of the bank, his scheme had advanced far beyond those usually possessed by similar enterprises. The exposure of it in Tuxedo, however, defeated his purpose, and, so far as we are aware, he went back to Havana without having accomplished anything.

It is an interesting fact that this person—FRANCISCO LA MAGNA—held an interview on the evening of February 7, at 29 East Twenty-eighth street, in this city, with Don MARCOS Lopez RODRIGUEZ, the Minister of Spain to the Government of the United States. What had Mr. RODRIGUEZ to do with a counterfeiter? This is a difficult question. Of course we have not been informed what it was that was debated between the parties at this interview, or what result came from it. But suppose it should all be discovered and published, would it not be interesting?

A Palmer for Artisans.

One of the finest buildings in the city has been erected in Bond street by Messrs. BROWN & APPLEGATE, the well-known agents of the American Watch Company. It has a cost of \$250,000. It is six stories high, the whole building will be occupied by the American Watch Company, and will be a grand branch of trade. One floor will be used by Messrs. BROWN & APPLEGATE for the manufacture of watches for the American market.

The principal object to be pursued would seem to be to determine the reception of the emigrants to Canada, and to make the proposed conversion of the buildings to the use of other kinds of sick

ERIE RAILWAY HISTORY.

TRUE STORY THAT NO ROMANCE CAN EQUAL.

The Wonderful Narrative of Erie from the Beginning to the Present Day—It was to Cost Five Millions Only—State Aid Given and Lost—The Company Many Times Bankrupt—Daniel Drew and His Manipulations—Bancroft Davis, the Superintendent—John G. Jones and J. C. Gandy—The English Stockholders—The Stock a More Foot-Hall—No Broad Gauge Road can Pay.

TO CUBANS.

We sincerely congratulate the Cubans on the action taken by the Government of the Republic in the matter of Mr. ALDAMA's tendered resignation of the agency of Cuba in this country.

Some time since Mr. ALDAMA, in view of the hostility manifested to him by some of his countrymen here, sent his resignation to the Cuban Government. His motive in taking such a step was purely patriotic. He thought that if the Government appointed some one else in his place, dissensions among Cuban exiles would cease, and that they all would contribute and work with a will toward the only object of all honest Cubans, the independence of their country. But the Cuban President has declined to accept Mr. ALDAMA's resignation, and the Cuban Congress have unanimously passed a resolution deeming him to have deserved the thanks of his country.

These acts of the Cuban President and Congress are judicious. Not only has Mr. ALDAMA done more than any other man for the freedom of Cuba, but there are very many men actively engaged in the revolution, both in the field and elsewhere, who would never have jeopardized their all, as they have done, had not Mr. ALDAMA joined the movement.

Now that the leaders of the revolution in Cuba have declined to accept Mr. ALDAMA's resignation, we trust an end will be put to all the petty jealousies and bickerings which bad men, some of whom are even suspected of being in the pay of Spain, have managed to excite among the Cuban exiles in this country.

The strength of having, from the very outbreak at Yara, steadily upheld the justice of Cuba's cause in her heroic struggle for independence, we have some right to give a word of advice to Cubans. Dissensions have existed among their countrymen in Cuba as well as here. Military and political men of prominence there, possibly from want of experience—for such men can hardly be suspected of want of patriotism—have given way, as here, to jealousies and mutual recriminations. Experience has taught them that any act of organization, and sedition are indispensable for the success of their cause. Private animosities have all been buried, and in Cuba all to-day are working in union for their country's good. Let the Cubans here follow this example. There is but little more work to do. The fight of one of the noblest on record, is nearly won. Let all Cubans unite as one man to help their brethren in arms, through the channel legitimately appointed by their Government and the Spanish flag will very soon be known no more in this hemisphere.

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